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H. R. 2497

To prohibit assistance for the Palestinian Authority and the West Bank
and Gaza, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 17, 2017

Mr. FRANKS of Arizona introduced the following bill; which was referred to
the Committee on Foreign Affairs

A BILL

To prohibit assistance for the Palestinian Authority and the
West Bank and Gaza, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

4 This Act may be cited as the “End Subsidizing Pales-
5 tinian Terrorism Act”.

6 SEC. 2. FINDINGS.

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Congress finds the following:

8 (1) Since September 2015 a series of more than
9 250 terrorist attacks have been carried out against
10 citizens of Israel.

1 (2) These terror attacks are the direct result of
2 incitement by radical Palestinian elements provoking
3 violence and calling on Palestinian youth to murder
4 Jews.

5 (3) Palestinian terrorist attacks are part of the
6 Palestinian Authority's strategy of "popular resist-
7 ance" that was formally adopted by the Palestinian
8 Authority and Fatah at the Sixth Fatah conference
9 in August 2009.

10 (4) According to the Israeli Ministry of Foreign
11 Affairs, since September 2015 Palestinian terrorists
12 have targeted Israeli citizens in 169 stabbings, 124
13 shootings, 51 vehicular attacks, and 1 vehicle bomb-
14 ing.

15 (5) It is appropriate to list these attacks and
16 attempted attacks, which include, but are not limited
17 to, the attacks and attempted attacks described in
18 subsection (b).

19 (6) The international community has remained
20 nearly silent in response to the attacks and at-
21 tempted attacks described in subsection (b).

22 (7) Palestinian violence is driven by anti-Jewish
23 incitement and delegitimization of Israel's right to
24 exist.

21 (12) Palestinians in Hamas-controlled Gaza
22 routinely distribute sweets to celebrate successful
23 terrorist attacks.

(13) On September 30, 2015, Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas said during a

1 speech to the United Nations that the Palestinian
2 Authority is no longer bound to the 1995 Oslo Ac-
3 cords which established the two-state solution for
4 peace.

5 (14) In a November 2014 address commemo-
6 rating the 10th anniversary of Yasser Arafat's
7 death, President Abbas said that as Israel has no
8 claim to Jerusalem, he will not allow the Temple
9 Mount to be “contaminated by Jews”, and threat-
10 ened that Jewish prayer at the site would cause
11 “devastating religious war”.

12 (15) In June 2013, Palestinian Authority Presi-
13 dent Mahmoud Abbas referenced Israeli acts which
14 “indicate an evil and dangerous plot to destroy Al-
15 Aqsa and build the alleged temple”.

16 (16) Israelis and Palestinians alike have the
17 right to live in safety and dignity.

18 (b) ATTACKS AND ATTEMPTED ATTACKS DE-
19 SCRIBED.—The attacks and attempted attacks described
20 in this subsection are the following:

21 (1) An attack on January 8, 2017, when a Pal-
22 estinian used his vehicle to ram a group of Israel
23 Defense Forces cadets at the Armon Hanatziv prom-
24 enade in Jerusalem, killing 4 and injuring 17.

1 (2) An attack on December 25, 2016, when ter-
2 rorists fired shots at Israelis from a vehicle in Beit
3 El.

4 (3) An attempted attack on December 24,
5 2016, when Israeli security forces thwarted a stab-
6 bing attack by an Arab woman in Jerusalem's Old
7 City.

8 (4) An attack on December 24, 2016, when ter-
9 rorists threw six Molotov cocktails at cars in Ofirim.

10 (5) An attack on December 23, 2016, when a
11 Palestinian stabbed a 50-year-old man in Efrat.

12 (6) An attack on December 14, 2016, when a
13 Palestinian stabbed two Israeli border police officers
14 and a 13-year-old boy in Jerusalem's Old City.

15 (7) An attempted attack on December 8, 2016,
16 when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli bor-
17 der police officer at the Tapuah Junction.

18 (8) An attack on November 26, 2016, when ter-
19 rorists threw a Molotov cocktail at Israeli police offi-
20 cers in Jerusalem.

21 (9) An attempted attack on November 25,
22 2016, when a 16-year-old Palestinian attempted to
23 stab an Israeli officer in Jerusalem.

1 (10) An attack on November 23, 2016, when
2 terrorists threw five Molotov cocktails at a bus near
3 Jerusalem.

4 (11) An attack on November 14, 2016, when
5 terrorists threw stones and pipe bombs at Israel De-
6 fense Forces soldiers near Rachel's Tomb in Beth-
7 lehem.

8 (12) An attack on November 3, 2016, when a
9 terrorist attempted to stab Israel Defense Forces
10 soldiers stationed at a roadside bus stop near Ofra.

11 (13) An attack on October 31, 2016, when a
12 member of the Palestinian Authority's security
13 forces shot and wounded three Israel Defense Forces
14 soldiers in Beit El.

15 (14) An attack on October 30, 2016, when a
16 Palestinian used his vehicle to ram and injure three
17 Israeli border police officers near Hebron.

18 (15) An attempted attack on October 29, 2016,
19 when a Palestinian attempted to use his vehicle to
20 ram Israel Defense Forces soldiers, after which he
21 exited the vehicle and attempted to stab them, near
22 Ofra.

23 (16) An attempted attack on October 19, 2016,
24 when a Palestinian attempted to stab Israeli border
25 police officers at Tapuah Junction.

1 (17) An attack on October 9, 2016, when a
2 Palestinian killed two Israelis in a triple shooting in
3 Jerusalem.

4 (18) An attack on September 30, 2016, when
5 a Palestinian stabbed a member of the Israeli secu-
6 rity forces at the Qalandia crossing.

7 (19) An attempted attack on September 20,
8 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
9 Israel Defense Forces soldier near Kiryat Arba.

10 (20) An attack on September 20, 2016, when
11 two Israel Defense Forces soldiers were wounded by
12 petrol bombs near Bethlehem.

13 (21) An attempted attack on September 19,
14 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
15 Israel Defense Forces soldier in Hebron.

16 (22) An attempted attack on September 19,
17 2016, when two Palestinians attempted to stab
18 Israel Defense Forces soldiers in Hebron.

19 (23) An attack on September 19, 2016, when
20 a Palestinian stabbed two Israeli police officers at
21 Jerusalem's Flower Gate.

22 (24) An attack on September 18, 2016, when
23 a Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces sol-
24 dier in Efrat.

1 (25) An attack on September 17, 2016, when
2 a Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces sol-
3 dier in Hebron.

4 (26) An attack on September 16, 2016, when
5 a Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces sol-
6 dier in Hebron.

7 (27) An attempted attack on September 16,
8 2016, when two Palestinians attempted to use their
9 vehicle to ram Israeli civilians in Kiryat Arba.

10 (28) An attack on September 16, 2016, when
11 a Jordanian attempted to stab Israeli police officers
12 near Jerusalem's Old City.

13 (29) An attempted attack on September 5,
14 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab Israel
15 Defense Forces soldiers in Jerusalem's Old City.

16 (30) An attack on August 31, 2016, when an
17 Israel Defense Forces soldier guarding Jewish wor-
18 shipers at Joseph's Tomb was shot by fire coming
19 from the Balata refugee camp in Nablus.

20 (31) An attack on August 24, 2016, when a
21 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
22 near Gilad.

23 (32) An attack on August 18, 2016, when
24 Israelis riding in a bus were injured after the vehicle
25 was struck by stones.

1 (33) An attack on August 14, 2016, when a
2 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
3 in Shaked.

4 (34) An attack on August 11, 2016, when a
5 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli citizen visiting the
6 Mount of Olives cemetery in Jerusalem.

7 (35) An attempted attack on July 31, 2016,
8 when a Palestinian attempted to stab Israel Defense
9 Forces soldiers in Hawara.

10 (36) An attack on July 18, 2016, when a Pales-
11 tinian stabbed two Israel Defense Forces soldiers on
12 the Gush Etzion-Hebron Highway.

13 (37) An attempted attack on July 17, 2016,
14 when a Palestinian was arrested carrying several
15 pipe bombs and knives in Jerusalem.

16 (38) An attack on July 9, 2016, when a Pales-
17 tinian shot and wounded an Israeli motorist at the
18 Tekoa Junction.

19 (39) An attempted attack on July 5, 2016,
20 when a Palestinian attempted to stab two Israel De-
21 fense Forces soldiers in Ariel.

22 (40) An attack on July 1, 2016, when a Pales-
23 tinian killed one and injured three in a drive-by
24 shooting in Gush Etzion.

1 (41) An attempted attack on July 1, 2016,
2 when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli bor-
3 der police officer in Hebron.

4 (42) An attack on June 30, 2016, when a 13-
5 year-old girl was stabbed to death in her bed by a
6 Palestinian terrorist from a village near Kiryat
7 Arba.

8 (43) An attack on June 30, 2016, when two
9 Israelis were stabbed near the Netanya market.

10 (44) An attack on June 26, 2016, when a Molotov cocktail was thrown at an Israeli car on the
11 Aboud bypass road.

13 (45) An attack on June 26, 2016, when a Palestinian driver rammed her vehicle into a car at a
14 hitch-hiking stop, injuring two Israelis near Kiryat
15 Arba.

17 (46) An attack on June 21, 2016, when Palestinians threw stones at cars traveling on Route
18 443.

20 (47) An attack on June 18, 2016, when Palestinians threw more than 20 Molotov cocktails at
21 the Psagot Settlement.

23 (48) An attack on June 17, 2016, when Palestinians threw four Molotov cocktails at an Israeli
24 home in Jerusalem.

1 (49) An attack on June 8, 2016, when two Pal-
2 estinian men killed four and injured 17 in the
3 Sarona Market in Tel Aviv.

4 (50) An attack on June 6, 2016, when a Pales-
5 tinian shot at vehicles on Route 465.

6 (51) An attack on June 5, 2016, when Palestin-
7 ians barraged with stones a bus traveling on Road
8 437.

9 (52) An attack on June 2, 2016, when Palestin-
10 ians threw Molotov cocktails at Jewish worshipers in
11 Nablus.

12 (53) An attempted attack on June 2, 2016,
13 when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israel De-
14 fense Forces soldier near Einay.

15 (54) An attack on June 1, 2016, when Palestin-
16 ians threw stones at cars traveling on Route 443.

17 (55) An attack on May 30, 2016, when a Pales-
18 tinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier with
19 a screwdriver in Tel Aviv.

20 (56) An attack on May 24, 2016, when Pal-
21 estinians threw stones at a bus in Jerusalem.

22 (57) An attempted attack on May 23, 2016,
23 when a Palestinian attempted to stab two Israeli
24 border police officers in Jerusalem.

1 (58) An attack on May 22, 2016, when a Molotov cocktail was thrown at a bus in the village of
2 Hawara.

4 (59) An attack on May 22, 2016, when Palestinians threw stones at a bus on Highway 443.

6 (60) An attack on May 21, 2016, when Palestinians shot at a passenger bus near Gush Etzion.

8 (61) An attack on May 10, 2016, when multiple pipe bombs injured two Israel Defense Forces soldiers near Hizma.

11 (62) An attack on May 10, 2016, when two Palestinians stabbed two Israeli women, aged 86 and 13, in Jerusalem.

14 (63) An attack on May 3, 2016, when a Palestinian driver rammed his vehicle into three Israel Defense Forces soldiers near Jerusalem.

17 (64) An attack on May 2, 2016, when a Palestinian stabbed an Israeli man in Jerusalem's Old City.

20 (65) An attack on May 1, 2016, when Palestinians threw stones at a car traveling near Efrat, injuring two children.

23 (66) An attack on April 19, 2016, when a bomb planted aboard a bus exploded, injuring 21 in Jerusalem.

1 (67) An attack on April 14, 2016, when a Pal-
2 estinian attacked a group of Israel Defense Forces
3 soldiers with an axe near Gush Etzion.

4 (68) An attack on April 14, 2016, when stones
5 were thrown at a car traveling on Highway 431.

6 (69) An attempted attack on April 14, 2016,
7 when two Palestinian children were arrested with
8 knives in Jerusalem's Old City.

9 (70) An attack on March 25, 2016, when a Pal-
10 estinian attempted to stab Israel Defense Forces sol-
11 diers in Jerusalem.

12 (71) An attack on March 24, 2016, when two
13 Palestinians stabbed an Israel Defense Forces sol-
14 dier near Hebron.

15 (72) An attack on March 18, 2016, when three
16 Palestinians attacked Israel Defense Forces soldiers
17 with knives.

18 (73) An attack on March 17, 2016, when two
19 Palestinians stabbed an Israel Defense Forces sol-
20 dier in Ariel.

21 (74) An attack on March 14, 2016, when two
22 Palestinians attempted to use their vehicle to ram
23 Israelis, later opening fire on civilians and soldiers
24 standing at a bus stop near the entrance to Kiryat
25 Arba.

1 (75) An attack on March 11, 2016, when a Pal-
2 estinian stabbed an Israeli man in Jerusalem.

3 (76) An attack on March 11, 2016, when a Pal-
4 estinian shot two Israel Defense Forces soldiers near
5 Beit Horon.

6 (77) An attack on March 9, 2016, when two
7 Palestinians opened fire on police officers and civil-
8 ians near Jerusalem's Old City.

9 (78) An attempted attack on March 8, 2016,
10 when a Palestinian attempted to stab Israeli border
11 police officers in Jerusalem's Old City.

12 (79) An attack on March 8, 2016, when a Pal-
13 estinian opened fire on Israeli border police officers
14 with an automatic weapon near Jerusalem's Old
15 City.

16 (80) An attack on March 8, 2016, when a Pal-
17 estinian stabbed an Israeli in Petah Tikva.

18 (81) An attack on March 8, 2016, when a Pal-
19 estinian went on a stabbing spree in Tel Aviv's Jaffa
20 Port, injuring 10 and killing American student Tay-
21 lor Force.

22 (82) An attack on March 3, 2016, when a Pal-
23 estinian used her vehicle to ram an Israel Defense
24 Forces soldier at the Gush Etzion junction.

1 (83) An attack on March 3, 2016, when a Pal-
2 estinian stabbed a police officer in the Jordan Val-
3 ley.

4 (84) An attack on March 3, 2016, when a Pal-
5 estinian shot and injured a police officer in Rahelim.

6 (85) An attack on March 2, 2016, when two
7 Palestinians attacked an Israeli man in his home in
8 Eli.

9 (86) An attack on March 2, 2016, when two
10 Palestinians stabbed two police officers in Har
11 Brakha.

12 (87) An attack on February 26, 2016, when a
13 Palestinian critically wounded an Israeli with an axe
14 near Ma'ale Adumin.

15 (88) An attempted attack on February 26,
16 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab Israel
17 Defense Forces soldiers near Ramallah.

18 (89) An attack on February 24, 2016, when a
19 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces reserv-
20 ist near Gush Etzion.

21 (90) An attempted attack on February 24,
22 2016, when two Palestinians were arrested with pipe
23 bombs near Jerusalem's Old City.

1 (91) An attempted attack on February 21,
2 2016, when a Palestinian was arrested with a large
3 knife while attempting to attack Israeli civilians.

4 (92) An attempted attack on February 21,
5 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
6 Israel Defense Forces soldier in Hebron.

7 (93) An attack on February 21, 2016, when a
8 Palestinian attempted to stab an Israel Defense
9 Forces soldier near Nablus.

10 (94) An attempted attack on February 20,
11 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
12 Israel Defense Forces soldier outside of Jerusalem's
13 Old City.

14 (95) An attack on February 19, 2016, when a
15 Palestinian stabbed two Israeli border policemen
16 outside of Jerusalem's Old City.

17 (96) An attempted attack on February 19,
18 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to use her vehi-
19 cle to ram Israel Defense Forces soldiers.

20 (97) An attack on February 18, 2016, when
21 two Palestinians stabbed shoppers at a supermarket
22 in Sh'ae Binyamin.

23 (98) An attempted attack on February 15,
24 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an

1 Israel Defense Forces soldier outside of Jerusalem's
2 Old City.

3 (99) An attack on February 14, 2016, when
4 two Palestinians shot at Israel Defense Forces sol-
5 diers outside of Jerusalem's Old City.

6 (100) An attempted attack on February 14,
7 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
8 Israel Defense Forces soldier in Hebron.

9 (101) An attempted attack on February 19,
10 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
11 Israel Defense Forces soldier outside of Tekoa-Har
12 Homa.

13 (102) An attack on February 19, 2016, when
14 two Palestinians shot at Israel Defense Forces sol-
15 diers near Hinanit.

16 (103) An attack on February 13, 2016, when
17 a Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces sol-
18 dier and a Palestinian man in Hebron.

19 (104) An attack on February 9, 2016, when a
20 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli soldier in Hebron.

21 (105) An attack on February 6, 2016, when a
22 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli woman in Rahat.

23 (106) An attack on February 4, 2016, when
24 two Palestinians stabbed a mall security guard in
25 Ramle.

1 (107) An attack on February 3, 2016, when
2 three Palestinians killed one Israeli border police of-
3 ficer and wounded two others outside of Jerusalem's
4 Old City.

5 (108) An attempted attack on February 1,
6 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
7 Israeli in Sal'it.

8 (109) An attack on January 31, 2016, when a
9 Palestinian opened fire on three Israel Defense
10 Forces soldiers, wounding three near Beit El.

11 (110) An attack on January 30, 2016, when a
12 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli outside of Jerusalem's
13 Old City.

14 (111) An attack on January 27, 2016, when a
15 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli in Givat Ze'ev.

16 (112) An attack on January 25, 2016, when
17 two Palestinians stabbed two Israeli women at a su-
18 permarket in Beit Horon.

19 (113) An attack on January 24, 2016, when a
20 Palestinian gunman opened fire at a vehicle driving
21 near the community of Dolev.

22 (114) An attempted attack on January 20,
23 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
24 Israeli in Hebron.

1 (115) An attack on January 18, 2016, when a
2 Palestinian stabbed a pregnant Israeli woman in
3 Tekoa.

4 (116) An attempted attack on January 17,
5 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
6 Israeli in the West Bank.

7 (117) An attack on January 17, 2016, when a
8 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli woman to death out-
9 side of her home in Otniel.

10 (118) An attack on January 14, 2016, when a
11 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
12 near Nablus.

13 (119) An attempted attack on January 14,
14 2016, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
15 Israeli near Beit Anoun.

16 (120) An attack on January 13, 2016, when an
17 Israeli bus driver was injured after his bus was dam-
18 aged by a rock thrown by a Palestinian near Jeru-
19 salem.

20 (121) An attempted attack on January 12,
21 2016, when two Palestinians attempted to stab
22 Israelis near Kiryat Arba.

23 (122) An attempted attack on January 9, 2016,
24 when two Palestinians attempted to stab Israelis in
25 the Jordan Valley.

1 (123) An attempted attack on January 7, 2016,
2 when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli near
3 Kiryat Arba.

4 (124) An attempted attack on January 7, 2016,
5 when three Palestinians attempted to stab an Israeli
6 near Gush Etzion.

7 (125) An attack on January 5, 2016, when an
8 Israeli bus driver was injured after his bus was dam-
9 aged by a rock thrown by a Palestinian on Highway
10 79.

11 (126) An attempted attack on January 4, 2016,
12 when a Palestinian attempted to stab Israelis out-
13 side of the National Police Headquarters in Jeru-
14 salem.

15 (127) An attempted attack on January 3, 2016,
16 when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli in
17 Jerusalem.

18 (128) An attack on January 3, 2016, when a
19 Palestinian opened fire on an Israel Defense Forces
20 soldier in the South Hebron Hills.

21 (129) An attack on January 3, 2016, when Pal-
22 estinian snipers shot an Israel Defense Forces sol-
23 dier in Hebron.

(130) An attack on January 2, 2016, when a Palestinian opened fire on Israeli vehicles near Jerusalem.

(131) An attack on January 1, 2016, when a Palestinian killed two and injured eight in a shooting attack in Tel Aviv.

(132) An attack on January 1, 2016, when a Palestinian shot and killed an Israeli taxi driver in Tel Aviv.

(133) An attack on December 31, 2015, when a Palestinian used his vehicle to ram an Israel Defense Forces soldier in the West Bank.

(134) An attack on December 27, 2015, when two Palestinians stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier in Hawara

16 (135) An attempted attack on December 27,
17 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
18 Israeli in Hebron.

(136) An attempted attack on December 27, 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli in the West Bank.

(137) An attempted attack on December 27, 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli in Jerusalem's Old City

1 (138) An attack on December 27, 2015, when
2 a Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces sol-
3 dier in Jerusalem's Old City.

4 (139) An attack on December 26, 2015, when
5 a Palestinian used his vehicle to ram an Israel De-
6 fense Forces soldier in the West Bank.

7 (140) An attempted attack on December 26,
8 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
9 Israeli in Jerusalem's Old City.

10 (141) An attack on December 25, 2015, when
11 Palestinians attacked the vehicle of the Latin Patri-
12 arch in Bethlehem.

13 (142) An attempted attack on December 25,
14 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to use his vehi-
15 cle to ram an Israeli in Silwad.

16 (143) An attempted attack on December 24,
17 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
18 Israel Defense Forces soldier in Hebron.

19 (144) An attack on December 24, 2015, when
20 a Palestinian stabbed two Israel Defense Forces sol-
21 diers in Ariel.

22 (145) An attack on December 23, 2015, when
23 a Palestinian stabbed and killed a rabbi outside of
24 Jerusalem's Old City.

1 (146) An attack on December 19, 2015, when
2 a Palestinian stabbed three Israelis in Raanana.

3 (147) An attempted attack on December 18,
4 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to use his vehi-
5 cle to ram Israel Defense Forces soldiers in the
6 West Bank.

7 (148) An attack on December 14, 2015, when
8 three Israelis were injured after a rock was thrown
9 through the windshield of their car in Beit Aryeh.

10 (149) An attack on December 14, 2015, when
11 14 Israelis were injured in a vehicular ramming at-
12 tack at a bus stop in Jerusalem.

13 (150) An attempted attack on December 13,
14 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
15 Israeli civilian in Kiryat Arba.

16 (151) An attempted attack on December 11,
17 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to use his vehi-
18 cle to ram Israel Defense soldiers near Kiryat Arba.

19 (152) An attack on December 11, 2015, when
20 a Palestinian opened fire on Israel Defense Forces
21 soldiers in Gilboa.

22 (153) An attack on December 10, 2015, when
23 a Palestinian used his vehicle to ram Israel Defense
24 soldiers in the West Bank.

1 (154) An attempted attack on December 9,
2 2015, when three Palestinians were apprehended
3 with butcher knives in Afula.

4 (155) An attack on December 9, 2015, when
5 Palestinians opened fire on an Israeli family in a
6 drive by shooting, injuring two in the West Bank.

7 (156) An attack on December 9, 2015, when a
8 Palestinian stabbed a civilian and an Israel Defense
9 Forces soldier in Hebron.

10 (157) An attack on December 7, 2015, when a
11 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli civilian in Hebron.

12 (158) An attack on December 6, 2015, when a
13 Palestinian used his vehicle to ram and subsequently
14 stab Israelis in Jerusalem.

15 (159) An attack on December 4, 2015, when a
16 Palestinian used his vehicle to ram two Israel De-
17 fense Forces soldiers in Ofra.

18 (160) An attack on December 4, 2015, when a
19 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
20 in Abud.

21 (161) An attack on December 4, 2015, when
22 two Palestinians stabbed an Israel Defense Forces
23 soldier in Hebron.

1 (162) An attack on December 3, 2015, when a
2 Palestinian shot an Israel Defense Forces soldier
3 and an Israeli civilian north of Jerusalem.

4 (163) An attack on December 3, 2015, when a
5 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
6 near Jerusalem's Old City.

7 (164) An attempted attack on December 3,
8 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
9 Israeli at the Gush Etzion junction.

10 (165) An attempted attack on December 3,
11 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
12 Israel Defense Forces soldier in the West Bank.

13 (166) An attack on November 29, 2015, when
14 a Palestinian stabbed an Israeli border police officer
15 near Jerusalem's Old City.

16 (167) An attack on November 29, 2015, when
17 a Palestinian stabbed a foreign worker from Nepal
18 in Jerusalem.

19 (168) An attack on November 27, 2015, when
20 a Palestinian used his vehicle to ram two Israel De-
21 fense Forces soldiers in Kfar Adumim.

22 (169) An attack on November 27, 2015, when
23 a Palestinian used his vehicle to ram six Israel De-
24 fense Forces soldiers in the West Bank.

1 (170) An attack on November 25, 2015, when
2 a Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces sol-
3 dier in the West Bank.

4 (171) An attack on November 24, 2015, when
5 a Palestinian used his vehicle to ram three Israel
6 Defense Forces soldiers and one border police officer
7 in the West Bank.

8 (172) An attack on November 23, 2015, when
9 two Palestinians stabbed an elderly Palestinian man
10 from Bethlehem near Jerusalem's Mahane Yehuda
11 market.

12 (173) An attack on November 23, 2015, when
13 a Palestinian used his vehicle to ram an Israeli near
14 Shavei Shomron.

15 (174) An attempted attack on November 23,
16 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab Israel
17 Defense soldiers in the West Bank.

18 (175) An attack on November 23, 2015, when
19 a Palestinian stabbed and killed an Israel Defense
20 Forces soldier and wounded two others near Modi'in.

21 (176) An attempted attack on November 22,
22 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
23 Israeli civilian in the West Bank.

24 (177) An attempted attack on November 22,
25 2015, when a Palestinian taxi driver attempted to

1 use his vehicle to ram a group of Israeli pedestrians
2 in Kfar Adumim.

3 (178) An attack on November 22, 2015, when
4 a Palestinian stabbed and killed an Israeli civilian in
5 Gush Etzion.

6 (179) An attack on November 21, 2015, when
7 a Palestinian stabbed four people in Kiryat Gat.

8 (180) An attack on November 19, 2015, when
9 a Palestinian killed two Israelis and wounded one in
10 a stabbing attack in Tel Aviv.

11 (181) An attack on November 19, 2015, when
12 a Palestinian gunman opened fire and killed three,
13 including one American, sitting in a traffic jam
14 south of Jerusalem.

15 (182) An attack on November 13, 2015, when
16 a Palestinian gunman opened fire and killed two and
17 wounded four in Otniel.

18 (183) An attack on November 10, 2015, when
19 two Palestinian youth stabbed an Israeli security
20 guard on the Jerusalem light rail.

21 (184) An attempted attack on November 10,
22 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
23 Israeli police officer outside of Jerusalem's Old City.

(185) An attempted attack on November 10, 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli border police officer near Abu Dis.

(186) An attempted attack on November 9, 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab Israeli police officers in the West Bank.

(188) An attack on November 8, 2015, when a Palestinian stabbed an Israeli security guard near Jerusalem

(189) An attack on November 8, 2015, when a Palestinian stabbed an Israeli man in the West Bank

17 (190) An attack on November 6, 2015, when a
18 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli man near Jerusalem.

(191) An attack on November 6, 2015, when two Palestinians opened fire and wounded two Israelis in Hebron.

(192) An attack on November 6, 2015, when a Palestinian opened fire and wounded an Israel Defense Forces soldier near Hebron.

(193) An attempted attack on November 5, 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli in Gush Etzion.

(194) An attack on November 4, 2015, when a Palestinian used his vehicle to ram three Israeli border police officers, killing one and wounding two near Hebron.

(195) An attack on November 2, 2015, when a Palestinian stabbed a 71-year-old Israeli man in Netanya.

(196) An attack on November 2, 2015, when a Palestinian stabbed three Israelis, including an 80-year-old woman, in Tel Aviv.

(197) An attempted attack on November 2, 2015, when two Palestinians attempted to stab an Israel Defense Forces soldier in the West Bank.

(199) An attack on October 31, 2015, when a 17-year-old Palestinian attempted to stab Israel Defense Forces soldiers near the Gilboa crossing

(200) An attack on October 30, 2015, when two Palestinians attempted to stab Israeli border police officers near the Tapuach Junction

1 (201) An attack on October 30, 2015, when an
2 Israeli was stabbed by a Palestinian near the French
3 Hill light rail station in Jerusalem.

4 (202) An attack on October 29, 2015, when a
5 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
6 near the Tomb of the Patriarchs in Hebron.

7 (203) An attempted attack on October 29,
8 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
9 Israel Defense Forces soldier in the neighborhood of
10 Beit Hadassah.

11 (204) An attack on October 29, 2015, when
12 shots were fired from a vehicle toward a bus stop
13 near Jerusalem.

14 (205) An attack on October 28, 2015, when an
15 Israeli woman was stabbed by a Palestinian outside
16 of the Rami Levy supermarket near Gush Etzion.

17 (206) An attempted attack on October 28,
18 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
19 Israel Defense Forces soldier near the Tomb of the
20 Patriarchs in Hebron.

21 (207) An attack on October 27, 2015, when
22 two Palestinians stabbed an Israel Defense Forces
23 soldier near Gush Etzion.

(208) An attempted attack on October 27, 2015, when two Palestinian teenagers were apprehended with a knife and an axe in Jerusalem.

(209) An attack on October 26, 2015, when an Israel Defense Forces soldier was stabbed by two Palestinians near Gush Etzion.

(210) An attack on October 26, 2015, when an Israel Defense Forces soldier was stabbed and seriously wounded near Hebron.

(212) An attack on October 25, 2015, when an Israeli man was wounded in a stabbing attack after his car was stoned by Palestinians near Metzad

(214) An attack on October 25, 2015, when an Israeli man was stabbed near Ariel.

(215) An attempted attack on October 24, 2015, when a 16-year-old Palestinian posing as a

1 candy vendor attempted to stab a security guard
2 near the Gilboa crossing.

3 (216) An attack on October 23, 2015, when an
4 Israel Defense Forces soldier was stabbed in Gush
5 Etzion.

6 (217) An attack on October 23, 2015, when an
7 Israeli couple and their three young children were
8 wounded when a firebomb was thrown at their car
9 near Beit El.

10 (218) An attempted attack on October 22,
11 2015, when a student was stabbed and moderately
12 injured while waiting for the bus in Bet Shemesh.

13 (219) An attempted attack on October 22,
14 2015, when two Palestinian terrorists attempted to
15 board an Israeli school bus to carry out a knife at-
16 tack in Bet Shemesh.

17 (220) An attempted attack on October 21,
18 2015, when a 15-year-old Palestinian with a knife
19 attempted to attack Israeli security forces in
20 Yitzhar.

21 (221) An attack on October 21, 2015, when an
22 Israeli policeman was injured in a car-ramming at-
23 tack in Ofra.

24 (222) An attack on October 21, 2015, when an
25 Israel Defense Forces soldier was critically wounded

1 in a stabbing attack at the Adam Junction near Je-
2 rusalem.

3 (223) An attempted attack on October 21,
4 2015, when two Palestinians were apprehended by
5 Israeli security forces who found homemade explo-
6 sive devices in their vehicle.

7 (224) An attack on October 21, 2015, when
8 five Israel Defense Forces soldiers were injured after
9 their vehicle was attacked with stones, and, after
10 exiting the vehicle in order to apprehend the stone-
11 throwers, were rammed by a vehicle near Beit
12 Ummar.

13 (225) An attack on October 20, 2015, when an
14 Israeli man was killed after his vehicle was stoned,
15 and, after escaping the vehicle, was struck and run
16 over in a vehicular attack.

17 (226) An attack on October 20, 2015, when an
18 Israel Defense Forces soldier was injured in a stab-
19 bing attack in Hebron.

20 (227) An attack on October 20, 2015, when
21 two Israelis were wounded in a vehicular attack and
22 attempted stabbing at a bus stop at the Gush Etzion
23 Junction.

24 (228) An attack on October 18, 2015, when an
25 Israel Defense Forces soldier was killed and 10 civil-

1 ians and police officers wounded after a Palestinian
2 terrorist entered the Central Bus Station of Be'er
3 Sheva and opened fire.

4 (229) An attempted attack on October 17,
5 2015, when a 16-year-old Palestinian attempted to
6 stab Israeli border police officers in Jerusalem.

7 (230) An attempted attack on October 17,
8 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
9 Israeli civilian in Hebron.

10 (231) An attack on October 17, 2015, when a
11 16-year-old Palestinian woman stabbed an Israeli
12 border police officer in Hebron.

13 (232) An attack on October 17, 2015, when a
14 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
15 at a police checkpoint in Hebron.

16 (233) An attempted attack on October 17,
17 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
18 Israeli police officer and bomb squad officer at the
19 Kalandiya Checkpoint near Jerusalem.

20 (234) An attack on October 16, 2015, when
21 Palestinian rioters set fire to Joseph's Tomb, a Jew-
22 ish Holy site in Nablus.

23 (235) An attempted attack on October 16,
24 2015, when Israeli border police detected an explo-

1 sive device at a checkpoint near Hebrew University's
2 Campus at Mount Scopus in Jerusalem.

3 (236) An attack on October 16, 2015, when a
4 Palestinian disguised as a photojournalist stabbed
5 an Israel Defense Forces soldier near Hebron.

6 (237) An attempted attack on October 14,
7 2015, when Israeli border police discovered a knife
8 hidden under the assailant's seat in Jerusalem.

9 (238) An attack on October 14, 2015, when a
10 Palestinian stabbed two people by the Damascus
11 Gate in Jerusalem's Old City.

12 (239) An attack on October 14, 2015, when an
13 Israeli woman was stabbed by a Palestinian while
14 waiting for a bus near the Central Bus Station in
15 Jerusalem.

16 (240) An attack on October 13, 2015, when an
17 Israeli man was stabbed in the center of Raanana.

18 (241) An attack on October 13, 2015, when
19 four Israelis were wounded in a stabbing attack in
20 Raanana.

21 (242) An attack on October 13, 2015, when
22 two Israelis were killed and 15 wounded when two
23 Palestinians boarded a bus and began to attack pas-
24 sengers in Jerusalem.

1 (243) An attack on October 13, 2015, when an
2 Israeli man was killed and five wounded by a Palesti-
3 nian in a vehicle attack in Jerusalem.

4 (244) An attempted attack on October 12,
5 2015, when a stabbing attack was foiled outside of
6 the Lion's Gate in Jerusalem's Old City.

7 (245) An attack on October 12, 2015, when an
8 Israeli border police officer was stabbed by a 16-
9 year-old Palestinian in Jerusalem.

10 (246) An attack on October 12, 2015, when
11 two Palestinians stabbed two Israeli civilians, includ-
12 ing a 13-year-old Israeli boy riding his bicycle, in Je-
13 rusalem.

14 (247) An attack on October 12, 2015, when a
15 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
16 on a bus in Jerusalem.

17 (248) An attack on October 11, 2015, when an
18 Israeli police officer was injured after the driver of
19 the car he pulled over set off an explosive device in
20 Ma'ale Adumim.

21 (249) An attack on October 10, 2015, when a
22 16-year-old Palestinian stabbed two Israelis near the
23 Damascus Gate in Jerusalem's Old City.

1 (250) An attack on October 10, 2015, when a
2 Palestinian stabbed two Israeli police officers near
3 the Damascus Gate in Jerusalem's Old City.

4 (251) An attack on October 9, 2015, when a
5 16-year-old Israeli boy was stabbed by a Palestinian
6 in Jerusalem.

7 (252) An attack on October 9, 2015, when a
8 Palestinian stabbed a police officer in Kiryat Arba.

9 (253) An attempted attack on October 9, 2015,
10 when a Palestinian attempted to stab an Israeli se-
11 curity guard at the Central Bus Station of Afula.

12 (254) An attack on October 8, 2015, when an
13 Israel Defense Forces soldier and three others were
14 stabbed by a Palestinian in Tel Aviv.

15 (255) An attack on October 8, 2015, when a
16 Palestinian stabbed an Israeli civilian near the light
17 rail in Jerusalem.

18 (256) An attack on October 8, 2015, when a
19 man was stabbed and seriously wounded by a Pales-
20 tinian in Kiryat Arba.

21 (257) An attack on October 8, 2015, when an
22 Israel Defense Forces soldier was wounded in a
23 stabbing attack in Afula.

1 (258) An attack on October 7, 2015, when a
2 Palestinian wounded an Israeli man in a stabbing
3 attack in Petach Tikva.

4 (259) An attack on October 7, 2015, when an
5 18-year-old Palestinian stabbed an Israeli man near
6 the Lion's Gate of Jerusalem's Old City.

7 (260) An attack on October 7, 2015, when a
8 Palestinian stabbed an Israel Defense Forces soldier
9 in Kiryat Gat.

10 (261) An attack on October 4, 2015, when a
11 15-year-old Israeli boy was stabbed by a Palestinian
12 in Jerusalem.

13 (262) An attack on October 3, 2015, when two
14 Israelis were stabbed to death and two others in-
15 jured by a Palestinian in Jerusalem.

16 (263) An attack on October 1, 2015, when two
17 Israelis traveling with their four children were killed
18 in a drive-by shooting near Nablus.

19 (264) An attempted attack on September 22,
20 2015, when a Palestinian attempted to stab an
21 Israel Defense Forces soldier in Hebron.

22 (265) An attempted attack on September 21,
23 2015, when an Israel Defense Forces soldier was in-
24 jured by a firebomb near Joseph's Tomb.

1 (266) An attack on September 13, 2015, when
2 an Israeli was killed after his vehicle was struck by
3 rocks near Jerusalem.

4 **SEC. 3. DECLARATION OF POLICY.**

5 Congress—

6 (1) condemns incitement and acts of violence
7 against Israeli citizens;

8 (2) calls on Palestinian Authority President
9 Mahmoud Abbas to publicly condemn incitement and
10 acts of violence against Israeli citizens and to dis-
11 continue incitement in Palestinian Authority-con-
12 trolled media outlets;

13 (3) calls on the international community to con-
14 demn incitement and acts of violence against Israeli
15 citizens;

16 (4) believes that any chance at lasting peace
17 can only happen through peaceful, bilateral, discus-
18 sions and sound consultation with peaceful allies, not
19 calls for bloodshed;

20 (5) expresses support for individuals and orga-
21 nizations working to encourage cooperation between
22 Israelis and Palestinians, and the many activists
23 within Israel and the Palestinian territories working
24 to bring an end to the conflict; and

1 (6) reaffirms the friendship between Israel and
2 the United States.

3 **SEC. 4. PROHIBITION ON ASSISTANCE FOR THE PALES-**
4 **TINIAN AUTHORITY AND THE WEST BANK**
5 **AND GAZA.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—No funds described in subsection
7 (b) may be obligated or expended unless the Secretary of
8 State certifies to Congress that the Palestinian Author-
9 ity—

10 (1) is taking credible steps to end terrorist acts
11 against United States and Israeli citizens per-
12 petrated by individuals under its jurisdictional con-
13 trol;

14 (2) has publicly condemned acts of violence and
15 is taking steps to investigate or is cooperating with
16 investigations of such acts to bring the perpetrators
17 to justice; and

18 (3) has terminated payments for acts of ter-
19 rorism against United States and Israeli citizens to
20 any individual who has been imprisoned after being
21 fairly tried and convicted for such acts of terrorism
22 and to any individual who died committing such acts
23 of terrorism, including to a family member of such
24 individuals.

- 1 (b) AMOUNTS DESCRIBED.—Funds described in this
2 subsection are funds made available under any provision
3 of law for any of the following purposes:
4 (1) Assistance for the Palestinian Authority.
5 (2) Assistance for the West Bank and Gaza.

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